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Attachment A Responses to DTSC Comment Letter Dated April 23 2014 FINAL.PDF  
2014-4-30 Exide Resolution Letter.pdf  
2014-5-30 Exide DTSC Response to dispute resolution Rqst Ltr Final.pdf

FYI

**From:** Ghazi, Rizgar@DTSC [mailto:Rizgar.Ghazi@dtsc.ca.gov]  
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Per our discussion earlier today in regards the extent of the investigation, I am attaching Exide's April 23, 2014 letter invoking dispute resolution for our request to expand off-site soil sampling. Exide claims that their lead contamination does not go beyond the 1700 foot circle outside of the facility and claims that contamination found beyond the 1700 foot circle could be attributed to other sources (Exide calls it Urban contamination). Urban contamination from other source include freeways, age of the homes, and heavy (lead) industry in the Vernon area. DTSC disagrees with Exide and attached is our response to the dispute.

Thanks

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